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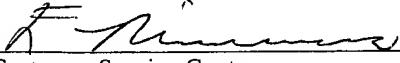
#### NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF REISSUE APPLICATION

##### ***Filing Date Granted***

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this reissue application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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- Consent of assignee is missing. 37 CFR 1.172 requires that a reissue oath/declaration be accompanied by the written consent of all assignees.
  
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For : METHOD FOR DISPLAY TIME STAMPING AND SYNCHRONIZATION  
OF MULTIPLE VIDEO OBJECT PLANES

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to file Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted (copy attached) of January 11, 2001, the period for response being set to expire March 11, 2001 and being extended by one month to April 11, 2001, please find enclosed:

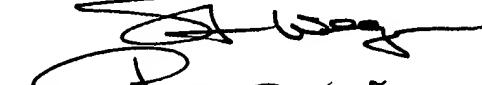
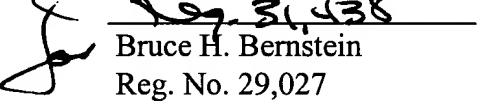
- a Reissue Declaration and Power of Attorney Under 37 C.F.R. §1.63 and 37 C.F.R. §1.175;
- an Offer to Surrender Original Patent;
- an Assent of Assignee to Reissue;
- a Petition for Reissue Application;
- a Request for Change of Address of Inventor;
- an Information of Statement Disclosure, and Search Reports cited;
- a Request for Extension of Time.

Also, enclosed is:

- a check in the amount of \$240.00 of which \$130.00 is payment of the surcharge for late filing of the declaration and \$110.00 is payment for the extension of time.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

Respectfully submitted,  
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